

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

DONNELL RIDDICK,	:	
Petitioner,	:	3:17-cv-0740
	:	
v.	:	
	:	Hon. John E. Jones III
SUPERINTENDENT CYNTHIA	:	
LINK, <i>et al.</i> ,	:	
Respondents.	:	

ORDER¹

June 2, 2020

NOW THEREFORE, upon consideration of the petition for writ of habeas corpus pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2254, and in accordance with the Court's Memorandum of the same date, it is hereby ORDERED as follows:

1. The petition for writ of habeas corpus pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2254 is DENIED.
2. Petitioner's motion (Doc. 30) to amend is DENIED.
3. There is no basis for the issuance of a certificate of appealability. *See* R. GOVERNING § 2254 CASES R. 11(a) (stating that "[t]he district court must issue or deny a certificate of appealability when it enters a final order adverse to the applicant").
4. The Clerk of Court is directed to CLOSE this case.

s/ John E. Jones III
John E. Jones III, Chief Judge
United States District Court
Middle District of Pennsylvania

¹ This matter has been reassigned due to the death of the Honorable James M. Munley.